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BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES,

January 27, 1845.

Read and ordered to be printed.

REPORT

OF THE

CLERK OF BALTIMORE COUNTY COURT

RELATIVE TO

The Commissions paid or due for the year 1844,

TO THE JUDGES OF SAID COURT,

AND ALSO THE

AMOUNT OF FEES OR TAXES ACCRUING TO THEM.

In conformity with an order of the House of the 23rd inst.

Ordered, That the Clerk of Baltimore County Court, report to this House, without delay, the amount of commissions paid or due for the year 1844, to the judges of said court under the act of 1841, chapter 274, and also the amount of fees, or taxes accruing to them on writs, judgements and executions issued from said court, and on bills and petitions, in equity, and appeals from magistrates, and whether any, if any, what amount of commissions on insolvent estates has been paid to said judges since the passage of the said act of 1841, and the sum total paid or due to the said judges for the years 1842, '3, and '4.

REPORT.

BALTIMORE, January 25th, 1845.

To the Honorable,

The House of Delegates:

In compliance with the requisitions of your order of the 23rd instant, I have the honor to report the following: The amount of Commissions under the act of 1811, chapter 271, for the year 1844 was,

Amount of fees on Writs,	\$2,784.78
Amount of fees on Judgements,	1,101.53
Amount of fees on Bills and Petitions	242.02
	564.30

Whole amount of Commissions on Insolvent Estates since 1811. \$1,860.20

Amount of it accruing in 1842,	\$467.96
Amount of it accruing in 1843,	958.93
Amount of it accruing in 1844.	423.31

It may not be improper to remark for the more perfect understanding of this communication, that of these sums there is quarterly forwarded to the Treasurer of the State the sum of \$600, which is by him paid to the Judges under the act of 1828. The amount received from Insolvent Estates as above stated will be considerably diminished hereafter, inasmuch as the rate of per centum was reduced by the act of 1841, chap. 271. The amount accruing in the years mentioned in this statement is dependent in a great measure upon Insolvencies between 1835 and 1841.— There being but few of these cases remaining, the sum to be hereafter derived from that source will be considerably smaller than heretofore.

The sum received under the act of 1811 for the year 1844, is larger than usual, because within this year some two or three cases have been disposed of on the Chancery Docket which yielded a considerable sum.

Very Respectfully,

THO. KELL, Clerk

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